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In re: Application of  
Abribat, et al.

Serial No. 10/796,697

Examiner: S. Mark Clardy

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Art Unit: 1617

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It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the  
Examiner's Action dated November 29, 2005 be extended three months from February 28,  
2006 to May 29, 2006. Since May 29, 2006 is a Federal Holiday, the deadline for response  
falls on **Tuesday, May 30, 2006.**

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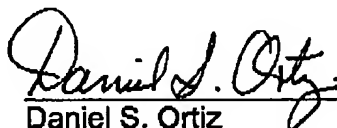
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Responsive Action has been taken by filing an AMENDMENT simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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